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BASE FILM

**RESTRICTION RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 15, 2009, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group II, Claims 8-20, for examination.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.